

Remarks

Claims 1 – 54 were pending in the application. Claims 22-25, 37, and 52-54 have been cancelled. Claims 1-21, 26-36, and 38-51 therefore remain pending in the application.

The Examiner indicated restriction to one of several inventions is required under 35 U.S.C. § 121. Applicant hereby elects without traverse the claims of Group I, namely Claims 1 – 21, 26-36, and 38-51 , for further prosecution in this application. Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application to further the prosecution of Claims 22-25, 37, and 52-54.

No fees are believed necessary; however, if any fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge said fees to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5681-71100/BNK.

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